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NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 18TH SEPTEMBER 1971.

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1 *Plague.*—The State remained free from Plague during the week as in the previous week. Comparative figures for the corresponding week during 1969 and 1970 were nil attack with nil deaths and nil attacks with nil deaths respectively.

2 *Small-pox.*—A total of one attack with nil deaths from small-pox was reported from the entire State, *viz.*, from the taluk of Indi, as against nil attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year. As a preventive measure 6,420 vaccinations have been done.

3 *Cholera.*— A total of 12 attacks with one death from Cholera was reported for the entire State, *viz.*, from the taluks of Koratagere and Haliyal during the week as against 6 attacks with one death reported during the corresponding week of the last year. As a preventive measure 2,266 anti-cholera inoculations have been done.

4 *K. F Disease.*—A total of 5 attacks with nil deaths from K. F. Disease was reported from Shimoga District, as against 6 attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

5 (a) *Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Infectious Hepatitis and Influenza.*—The State remained free from Yellow fever Relapsing fever and Influenza in epidemic form as against nil attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

(b) 3 cases with nil deaths from Infectious hepatitis have been reported from Military Hospital, Bangalore during the week under report, as against 4 attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

(c) *Dengue and Haemorrhagic Fever.*—The State remained free from Dengue and Haemorrahagic fever during the week as in the corresponding week of the last year.

6 *City and Corporation.*—The total mortality for Bangalore City Corporation amounted to 352 (151 in hospitals) for the week, as against 418 (178 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 17.8 (10.3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 20.8(11.9 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 22 were due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 6 due to Consumption and 332 due to all other causes, as against 29 were due to Dysentery and diarrhoea, 9 due to Consumption and 380 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for Mysore City amounted to 48 (33 in hospitals) for the week as against 89 (62 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 00.4 (3.0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 17.5 (5.3 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 2 were due to other fevers, & 46 due to all other causes, as against 16 were due to other fevers, and 73 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for K.G.F. City amounted to 14 (14 in hospitals) for the week, giving a calculated death rate of 4·3 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated). Classified according to causes of deaths, 14 were due to all other causes.

The total mortality of Belgaum City amounted to 38 (8 in hospitals) for the week as against 22 (18 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 10.7 (5.6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 6.3 (1.1 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week for the past year. Classified according to causes of deaths 38 were due to all other causes, as against 22 were due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality of Mangalore City amounted to 31 10 in hospitals for the week as against 68 (67 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 9·2 (6 2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 20.6 (0.3 excluding hospital deaths) or the corresponding week for the past year. Classified according to causes of deaths, one was due to other fevers, 3 due to Consumption and 27 due to all other causes, as against one due to other fevers, 2 due to consumption and 61 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

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